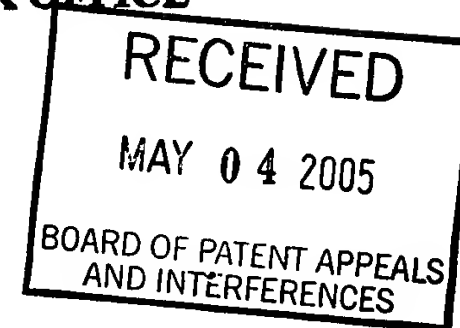


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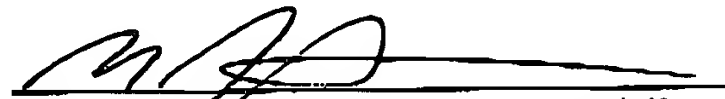
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**Request for Oral Hearing**

Appellant hereby request an oral hearing in the above identified appeal.

Appellant hereby authorizes the PTO to charge the fee for requesting the oral hearing set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(d) to Deposit Account 210765.

  
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